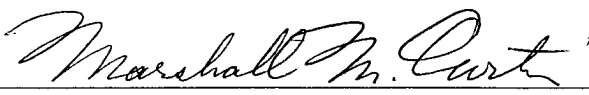
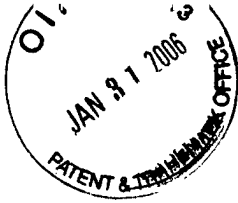


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In response to the Office Action mailed November 18, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Listing of the Claims: There are no amendments to the claims presented in this paper. A full listing of the claims, indicating the status of each, begins on page 2 of this paper.

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